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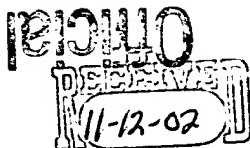
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HAND-EAR USER INTERFACE FOR HAND-HELD DEVICE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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RESPONSE under 37 CFR §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 24, 2002, which sets forth a final rejection the following remarks are submitted herewith:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend independent Claim 1 as follows, where a marked-up version of the amended Claim is attached as Appendix A: